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The Ladies' Aid of Frank Methodist Church
will hold a

Sale of Goods

In The Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 14

Tea Will Be Served.

School District Seeks Divorce

A meeting of the Blairmore School Board was held at the Town Hall on Wednesday afternoon, present Chairman W. A. Beebe, J. E. Gillis, S. Mason, J. F. Hunter and W. J. Bartlett.

The minutes of previous meeting were on motion approved as read.

The chairman reported result of his conference with the minister of education at Edmonton.

On the question being brought up regarding reverting to Village School District, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved that the Minister of Education be requested to declare, pursuant to the provisions of Section 25 of the school assessment ordinance of the Province of Alberta, Blairmore School District, Number 628, to be a Village School District for the purpose of said ordinance and any assessment and taxation for school purposes thereunder.

"Further resolved, that a statement of the delinquency of Blairmore School District No. 628 be forwarded to the said minister, with the request that he authorize a rate exceeding 8 mills on the dollar, but not exceeding 12 mills on the dollar, on unoccupied farm lands situate in said district outside the boundaries of the Town of Blairmore.

"And that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the said minister by the Secretary of the Board, with a request for immediate action."

The chairman reported having visited the school on January the 8th. At that time he found in Miss E. M. Fulton's room 36 pupils, in Miss K. B. Durrach's room 43 pupils, in Miss V. J. Keith's room 34 pupils, in Miss E. M. Foster's room 34 pupils, in Miss A. Fulton's room 37 pupils, and in the principal's room 14—an average of 33 to a room. It was further stated that since January the 8th, the enrolment in Miss A. Fulton's room had increased to over fifty.

The following accounts were duly passed: Christie's Bookstore \$25.15; West Canadian Collieries, for 67 tons of coal, \$157.50; D. A. Sinclair, \$15.00; Hartford Insurance Co., per J. A. McDonald, insurance premium \$104.00; F. M. Thompson Co., soap to clean the 1916 "sheet" \$1.80; Rocky Mountain Cement Co., ten months light \$10.00; George M. Hendry Co., supplies \$46.02.

The chairman announced that an order would be issued for a complete fire-alarm equipment for the school, estimated to cost in the neighborhood of \$10.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, South Edmonton, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Bertha Louise, to the Rev. J. R. Geeson, B.A., of Forestburg, Alberta, the marriage to take place on Wednesday next, January 31st. Miss Allen was teacher at Frank and Hillcrest during 1915 and 1916, and is a sister of Mrs. (Rev.) F. T. Cook, formerly of Bellevue.

An interesting lecture was delivered at Central Union church on Wednesday night by Major Hay, of the Salvation Army, Edmonton. The lecture was illustrated by about one hundred and fifty lantern slides of war pictures.

Council Amends License By-Law

The regular meeting of the Blairmore Town Council was held last night, attended by Mayor Beebe and Councillors Lagace, Christophers, Evans, Roscoe, and McVey.

The minutes of previous meeting were on motion approved, and a number of small accounts, including that of J. E. Gillis, for services as solicitor in connection with tax enforcement proceedings in 1916, were passed for payment.

Several communications were read and dealt with.

Pursuant to notice given at previous meeting, a by-law to amend By-Law No. 4 received three readings and passed, whereby the following amendments were made effective in connection with the license by-law:

Sub-Section 3 of Section 28, that fee for resident bakers be \$5.00, and that the words "or agent" be added after the word "non-resident."

Sub-Section 4—That the fee for boarding houses be \$20, instead of \$15.

Sub-Section 12—That the fee for fruit and vegetable pedlars be \$20, instead of \$10.

Sub-Section 13—That the fee for non-resident grocers be \$50, instead of \$25.

Sub-Section 15—That the fee for pedlars be \$50, instead of \$25.

Sub-Section 17—That the fee for ice cream parlors be \$10, instead of \$5.

Sub-Section 18—That the fee for itinerant photographers (insert resident) be \$10 per annum.

Sub-Section 25—That the fee for non-resident milk vendors be \$20, instead of \$15.

Sub-Section 30—That the fee for resident milk vendors be \$15, instead of \$10.

That the fee for non-resident meat pedlars be \$50, instead of \$25.

Blairmore Red Cross

The meeting last Tuesday was the largest held this year. Twenty-four members were present. This is very satisfactory, but there is room to accommodate as many more. Come out and do your bit. Every branch is calling for an increase in both funds and supplies.

The Professor's Bulletin

No. 4. "You WANT to be there at 8 o'clock sharp." Well, perhaps the person to whom you are speaking does want to be there promptly at the time specified. But, on the other hand, perhaps he doesn't. However, that is not the point. What you really WANT to intimate is that your friend OUGHT to be there at 8 o'clock sharp. Then, why not say so?

"The Professor."

The three Calgary papers are unanimous on one point. "The Rosary" was the attraction at The Grand and the papers agreed as to the quality of the show.

Notice of Change of Firm Name.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the name of the "Labor Stores, Limited, Bellevue, Alberta," has been changed to "Bellevue Mercantile Co., Ltd., Bellevue, Alberta."

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| Toilet Paper 4 pkts for 25c. | Ivory Soap, 11 bars 50 cents. |
| Violet Toilet Soap, 3 in box, 25c. | Castile Soap, 25 cents bar. |
| Ammonia, 15 cents a bottle. | Pony Matches, 2 dozen boxes 25 cents |
| Apple Cider Vinegar, 26c quart lid. | Pige Baking Powder, 10 cents can. |
| Cham, 15 cents can. | Flour, 15 cents can. |
| Blueberries, 2 cans 25 cents. | Apples, gallon cans 50 cents. |
| Pears, gallon cans, 50 cents. | 3-lb canister Tetley's Tea \$1.00. |
| Brown Beans, 3 pounds 25 cents. | 6-pound sack Wheatlets 25 cents. |
| Soda Biscuits, old prices—25 & 35. | Robin Hood Oats, 25 cents package. |
| Okanagan Apples, not frozen, from \$1.50 per case. | |
| Five Roses Flour, per sack \$5.40. | The Best Bread is "Quaker Bread" |

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For applications forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA,
OCTOBER 20, 1918.

Bellevue Happenings

Fred Luk was in from Beaver Mines on business.

Alfred Turner has started to work at No. 2 mine.

Mrs. H. Harrison is on a business trip to Calgary.

Mrs. W. Cole was visiting at Frank on Thursday.

H. Berier paid a business visit to Calgary this week.

Mrs. Cawthorne paid a business visit to Macleod this week.

Frank Boseley returned home again on Thursday morning.

Mrs. A. Martell, of Hillcrest, was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hugh McVicar, of Hillcrest, was visiting in Bellevue on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Bursay and Mrs. James Cousins were visiting in Blairmore on Thursday.

John Christie left this week for Esquimaux, B.C., where he will join the navy.

Quite a number of Bellevueites attended the dance at Hillcrest on Thursday night.

Bill Weldon has started to rebuild the pool hall, which was recently blown down.

Mrs. J. B. Radd, who had been confined to her home for a few days, is able to be around again.

The ice house has been moved from the rear of the Bellevue hotel to Cyr & Smith's meat market.

The liquor store has been converted into a school room, and classes are now in operation there.

The quarterly official board of the Methodist church held a meeting at the parsonage on Wednesday, the 2nd of January.

E. Roberts and family went out to Arrow Park, B.C., this week, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Roberts' father, who died recently.

Cowley Happenings

C. N. Cyr has returned, after visiting in Ottawa for some time.

Mrs. F. White and Mrs. Wilson are visiting in Calgary at present.

H. A. Stenbush and wife have returned from an extended visit to B.C.

Colin Buchanan has returned from Utah, bringing his bride with him.

BORN—On Sunday, January 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Bundy, a daughter.

The U.F.A. will give their annual ball on February 2nd in the town hall.

Mrs. John Rhodes and her sister, Miss S. H. Pettit, have gone to Spokane for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tustian have gone to Fort Springs to spend several days visiting with friends.

W. H. Connor returned from Lethbridge in his new Chevrolet car, which he purchased while there.

Mrs. W. E. Tustian gave a social evening at her home on Wednesday, in aid of the Presbyterian church. A splendid time was had and a nice little sum collected.

The Women's Institute have made up another shipment of provisions for the soldiers at the Ogden House, Calgary, this being the first shipment of this order sent there this year. Four shipments of provisions were sent to this home last year by this institute.

It has been circulated around here different times that A. W. Hart had been killed or died of wounds. These reports must have been false, as word has been received recently from members of the 192nd battalion, stating that they had met Mr. Hart in France and that he is alive and well.

The attendance at the Farmers' Convention at Edmonton this year

is under the average in number. Tom Shepherd was the only gentleman who went, and we trust that under his chaperonage the four ladies from Cowley will enjoy their trip. The ladies attending were Mrs. Latta, Mrs. Hodgson, Miss Gilbert and Mrs. Nelson.

A public meeting in the interest of the Patriotic Fund will be held in the Cowley hall, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, January 28th. Messrs. Tweedie and Carson, of Calgary, will be present and give full information in regard to the Fund and how it is handled. It is hoped that everybody will turn out and welcome these gentlemen who have been induced to come here only after some urging as their time is well taken up.

A local branch of the Patriotic Fund has been established in Cowley, to look after the contributions and dependants in Townships six, seven and eight, Range 1. The members of the committee are H. C. Morrison, W. E. Tustian, H. D. MacMillan, D. R. McIvor, Mr. A. Murphy and P. J. Biddell; Mr. Tustian being president and Mr. Biddell secretary-treasurer. All subscriptions for the Fund from this district should be handed to the latter gentleman. The committee has met with success since its organization and expects to be able to hold up their quota.

Anglican Church

Services on Sunday next will be at 11 a.m., conducted by the Rev. H. Clay, to be followed by a service of Holy Communion.

There was a good attendance on Sunday morning last, on the occasion of the memorial service to the late Joseph Gibson. The service was most impressive. Rev. Mr. Clay made sympathetic reference to the deceased and his connection with the church. His address was based on "The Resurrection" and he pointed out that Christian sorrow must always be tempered by hope.

Sunday School at 2:20 p.m.

It Pays To Advertise

Town Will Collect Business Tax

Pursuant to notice given at previous meeting, the Business Tax By-Law was introduced at last night's meeting of the Blairmore town council and passed its third and final reading, and will immediately become effective.

Notice to Water Consumers

At the regular meeting of the Blairmore town council last night, the following resolution was passed: "Mr. W. Evans—That all water connections be cut off where consumers do not pay or comply fully with regulations, and the Chief of Police is instructed to take immediate action."

Frank Happenings

At the regular meeting of the local Red Cross branch was held on Thursday afternoon.

Frank's Patriotic Fund committee now comprises twelve gentlemen and three ladies.

Capt. and Mrs. Proctor, of the Frank Military hospital, were in Edmonton last week end.

Robert Haddad came up from Bellevue last week end to assist at the local store of Jas. Haddad & Co.

A hard time skate will be held on the Frank half-million dollar ring on Friday, February 2nd, Cole as band in attendance.

The power-house and officials' prayers are thinking of buying a pair of extra thick socks to keep one of the officials' feet warm during a game.

Quite a number of Frank's dancing stars are already preparing costumes for the masquerade ball to be held in Blairmore on February the 6th.

The ladies aid of the Methodist church will hold a sale of goods in the hall on the 14th of February, announcement of which will be found in another column.

Rev. Father Beaton, who for the past two years or more has been in charge of Roman Catholic mission work at Bellevue and Frank, is leaving this week for a new field at Port Alberni, B.C.

At a meeting of the local committee of the Patriotic Fund, held last night, it was decided to publish a list of contributors and non-contributors to the Fund, same to appear in the columns of this paper in the very near future.

In a few weeks' time a minstrel party will entertain the people of the district in the Methodist hall to a musical and comical treat. By all accounts, this will be one of the best shows seen around The Pass for some time. Full particulars will be announced later, as to date, etc.

At the annual meeting of the ratepayers held in the Methodist hall last week, W. H. Hilton was elected to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of term of A. I. Blais as school trustee. Mr. Hilton will serve a term of three years. The first meeting of the 1917 board was held on Tuesday evening of this week, the following members being present: Chairman C. J. Tompkins, W. T. Young, W. H. Hilton and I. Wilson, secretary.

The big hockey game between the power-house and officials teams was pulled off on the local rink on Wednesday night and drew a good crowd of spectators. Messrs. J. Crawford of the officials, and G. Fairhurst, of the power-house, proved themselves "stars" of the first water. During the game, among many other beautiful decorations, Messrs. Naylor, Tristram and Hilton occupied prominent positions on the fence for having perpetrated foul play. The off-

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ciala went down to defeat to the tickets: MISCELLANEOUS CONCERT to be given in the Workers' Hall, Bellevue, Friday, December 18th, 1916. Proceeds to be divided between The Red Cross and Church Ticket 50 Cents A sympathetic young gentleman at Frank, however, came to the rescue and paid the required fee, otherwise she would have had to retract her steps homeward, without being privileged to see the game.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE
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THE PEOPLE OF CANADA TO
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TO SAVE MONEY FOR THE
NEXT WAR LOAN

JAN. 9, 1917

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
OTTAWA

The Cherished Habit of Spending
Has Been Changed to That
of Thrift

The English are a "sentimental nation"—I quote a distinguished English officer when I say that, Captain Basil Williams. It is true, they are sentimental as Americans. An appeal to cold reason is generally of no avail. The English have a generous indignance, to a rainy day and a shadowy future, does not move them in the slightest. But something that concerns the welfare of helpless children, or of persons whom they love, releases all that is best of the English race. I know this, because I worked in a Red Cross London office during the first two years of the war, and found that the smallest of their appeals to the English public for help in clothing Belgians brought in a large response.

ity as a franc-tireur was given carte blanche to do as he pleased, as long as he entered the trenches with his unit began his work. In letters sent to his family, he wrote that he and another half-breed, formerly a student at the Qu'Appelle Industrial School, were the only franc-tireurs who guarded potting Germans who were in the trenches. His chief work was to shoot at the Germans who came and bring them down.

One story of his keen sight and sharp hearing is told by a friend in late April, 1915, he brought down two German snipers within five minutes. He had been told that there were hundred yards. There were men and officers falling regularly on the Canadian trenches. Riel was watching this spot where the shots came from and decided to go and get them.

About seven hundred yards away he climbed the tree and watched it for a while. Then he saw a flash of light and brought down the sniper, who was in one of the lower branches. He then saw another flash of light and brought down another mark on his trusty rifle. He descended again and from the top of the tree he saw another flash of light on the ground. The incident was noticed by the officers and duly reported in dispatches. The officers were told that it was for Riel, but he could not be found. He had joined a raiding party and was on his way to the front, not having his little time. The following morning he reported and showed the officers the marks on his rifle.

Too Severe
 Doctor: Your husband needs some good exercise to restore him.
 Mrs. X: Like playing golf?
 Doctor: More violent than that.
 Mrs. X: I have it! I'll send him down to make a few purchases at the bargain counter during the sale.

Lady (engaging nurse): Have you

Amblin

Edith: Cholly says if I refuse him he'll go off and join the British or

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

The 191st battalion is now located at Parca.

D. A. Sinclair shipped several carloads of lumber eastward last week end.

A number of local people attended the masquerade on Monday night at Coleman on Monday night.

A local mail-order-house patron enquired from a neighbor the other day if the T. Eaton Co. sold horses.

J. Harry Alexander, Alberta district manager for the Heilmann Piano Co., was in town last week end from Calgary.

The Patriarchal Degree was conferred on four candidates at the regular meeting of Crows' Nest Encampment on Wednesday night.

The syllabus of the tenth Alberta Musical Competition Festival has been issued. This will be held in Edmonton on May 22nd, 23rd and 24th next.

No one benefits by a strike more than the mail-order house, hence the advisability of local merchants adhering strictly to the cash system of business.

Rev. W. E. McEwen, of Claresholm, chairman of the Macleod district of the Methodist church, will occupy the pulpit of the Frank church on Sunday night.

A meeting of the board of managers was held at the close of the service at Central Union church on Sunday night last, which was attended by Dr. Ferguson.

Some business men in Ontario are so honest that when they have nothing to advertise they simply advertise "nothing." There are so-called business men in Alberta who have lots to advertise, but dread to do the advertising, fearing it might help a fellow man.

King Albert of Belgium has announced that he has accorded the Cross of the Chevalier of the Order of the Crown to Miss Maxine Elliott, who, since November, 1914, has been actively working in the distribution of money, clothing and food to the needy in the conquered portion of Belgium. The former theatrical star has also given large sums of money for relief enterprises.

For the past couple of weeks an advertisement appearing in these columns has been arousing interest, and as far as we can learn, several replies have resulted. One applicant writes us as follows: "Am in good condition physically, and of fairly dark complexion. Had a good head of hair in my younger days, but the Lord will forgive me for losing it. I own an acre of land a cooking stove and an umbrella, and expect to raise enough vegetables for two this year. Would like to marry a teacher, because I never had a chance to go to school myself. Apply to Box 221, Blairmore."

Slush comes in city streets and in lovers' conversation. Slush may therefore be properly designated as public and private. Public slush is bad for the feet, and private slush is bad for the other end of the anatomy. Both kinds frequently make people slip up with disastrous consequences. Public slush may make a man an invalid for life, while private slush may lead to matrimony and makes one a slave for life. The greatest difference between the two slushes is that public is cold and clammy while private is warm and chummy. Sunshine and matrimony are the antidotes for Slush. Slush cannot stand sunshine, and matrimony cannot stand slush for any length of time.—Judge.

A. M. Morrison, of Coleman, has been appointed a notary public.

Frank James Smith, of Hillcrest, has been appointed a notary public.

Mayor Morrison, of Coleman, returned from Edmonton last week end.

The regular meeting of the Patriotic Fund committee, held Monday night, was well attended.

An exchange says Macleod is to have an isolation hospital—in keeping with its civilization.

Under the lex liquor act the thermometer be pinched for taking a drop too much.—Macleod News.

Edward Blackburn, of Pincher Creek, died of wounds received at the front.

Report has it that Detective Wilson, of the R.M.W.M.P., Macleod, has resigned from the police, after many years of good service, and that in all probability he will join His Majesty's navy.

Private Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Macleod, has been reported wounded. Private Campbell enlisted with his brother at Calgary and left for overseas service several months ago.

It is expected that the new road along the shore of Crows' Nest Lake, linking up Alberta with 2. C., and replacing the present club over the Summit, will be opened to traffic in the early spring.

In the last two weeks of 1916, 2,517 men enlisted in Canada, and in Quebec but 38. The province and people of Quebec should be thoroughly ashamed of themselves; and if they are not, the rest of the Dominion is.

The Canadian Pacific railway has authorized a well-known analytical chemist to undertake a comprehensive research with regard to the straw of wheat, oats, barley and rye, with a view to its industrial utilization.

The officers of Sentinel Lodge 25 Castle Hall, K. of P., Coleman, were installed on the 20th by Deputy G. C. W. Fraser, of Coleman, as follows: C. C. H. James, V.C.; J. Ford, Prelate; G. Thompson, K. R. and S. D. Gillespie; M. F., S. D. Gillespie; M. E., T. Muir; P. C., E. Milley; M. W., T. Thompson; I. G. W. Fraser.

We were slightly in error last week, in stating that Mayor Morrison, of Coleman, was conferring with authorities at Edmonton the introduction of the poll tax. Mayor Morrison's mission was in connection with the recent case of the Town of Coleman versus the Head Syndicate, in which it is hoped an appeal will be made against the chief justice's decision.

Rev. Dr. J. T. Ferguson, superintendent of Presbyterian missions, occupied the pulpit of Central Union church on Sunday night last and was greeted by a large audience. An able discourse was delivered from the text "In my Father's house are many mansions." In the course of the service, Mr. T. Harry Alexander, of Calgary, rendered two beautiful solos.

Two hundred thousand dollars will be sent abroad from New York by the British-French-Belgium permanent blind war relief fund for the establishment of an exchange to care for soldiers of the three countries blinded in battle. Officers of the fund explained that their plan was to obtain an amount large enough so that the capital might be kept intact and the relief work be carried on with the interest on the money.

If you can, but will not support the Patriotic Fund, then you are required at the front.

Great Britain has advanced over £600,000,000 to her allies for the purchase of war materials.

The famous submarine pictures were shown at the opera house last night, and were very interesting.

Harry Higgins was in town yesterday meeting old acquaintances, and left last night on his return to the U.S.

Rumor has it that the Dominion Commission of Conservation is seriously considering the conservation of noise from automobiles. What's the commercial value?

Rev. Dr. J. T. Ferguson has received official confirmation of the report that his son has been killed in action, which happened about four months ago.

Harry Higgins has been visiting old friends in The Pass for the past couple of weeks. Harry has been living down in the States for several years, and is making good.

Percy Hagel of Winnipeg, wants to fight in the Canadian overseas forces, and tried recently to enlist in the 250th battalion, but was rejected by the medical board on account of defective vision.

A trial vote recently taken by the congregation of Central Union church shows that the Presbyterians and Baptists are in favor of out-and-out union of the congregations and Sunday schools.

A fleet of German destroyers was intercepted by the British patrols in the North Sea, this week. The British report the loss of one ship, but several of the enemy's ships will not return to the "Keep" Canal.

The town of Camrose has displayed a fine example to the other towns of the province, in the manner in which the citizens work in connection with the patriotic causes. When the National Service cards were sent out from Ottawa, the citizens formed a committee, who in conjunction with the local postmaster made a thorough canvass of the town and district and saw to it that every man had registered. In patriotic work they go about the work in the same systematic fashion, with the result that their efforts are always crowned with success.

A statement has been compiled by Chief Inspector Forster of the convictions under the Alberta Liquor Act during the first six months of its operation. The total convictions recorded between July 1st and December 31st, 1916, were 413. Thirty-one of those convicted of offences under the Act were sent to prison for various terms. The convictions covered all parts of the province and are the result largely of the work of provincial officers and city police forces. The assistance given by R.N.W.M.P. towards the enforcement of the old Liquor License Ordinance, in the past, has not been given towards the enforcing of The Liquor Act.

The German liner *Fritz Adalbert*, which was captured at the beginning of the war, was sold at auction in London, on the order of the prize court, for £152,000. The *Adalbert* was on her way to a German port when the war began. Her captain testified at the hearing before the prize court in London, which condemned the vessel as a prize, that he put into Falmouth at the request of American passengers, Great Britain not having entered the war at that time. She is 403 feet long and 6,090 tons gross.

The marriage took place at Calgary on Saturday last of Rev. R. K. Peck, editor of the *Claresholm Review*, to Miss *Hessie Pittfield*, daughter of St. John, N.B.

The *Craig (Sask.) News* says: A young lady residing in Nutana, who knitted a pair of socks for a soldier at the front, enclosed her address inside one of the socks, and a few days ago received a letter from him, accompanied by the following verse:

"Thank you, kind lady; the socks are some fit—I used one for a hammock and one for a toilet."

Hope to meet you some day, when I've done my bit;

But where in—did you learn to knit?"

Both men and women in London now are wearing at night luminous hats, whose dull phosphorescent blue helps to reduce the risk of collision in the darkened streets. The glow is caused by a mixture of sulphides made into a liquid, which does not damage the material, does not smell, lasts a long time, is invisible by day, and gives off a striking bluish light at night. Moreover the more it is exposed to daylight or artificial light the more it shines. The *London Globe* says: Keyholes might be treated with it over here.

The *Brooklyn Eagle* says: "There are twenty-two kings and ruling dukes in Germany who prefer peace to St. Helena following revolution at home." Horse meat is 75 cents a pound in Berlin and only the lucky who are making money out of the war are able to buy it. Human nature is the same the world over. The German people will turn on their aristocratic masters as the French turned time on the side of Germany's enemies, whose bill to date is close to \$100,000,000,000, a little matter which Dr. Von Reumann-Holbeck failed to notice in his peace speech.

The brayless mule is one of the scientific developments of the war. Large numbers of mules have been imported from America for use at the front, but their habit of braying at inconvenient moments had to be remedied before they could be used to the best advantage. The veterinary experts were called in, and after a little experiment they discovered that a slight operation on the nostril had the desired effect, and all the mules sent to the front are now made mute by this process.

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